WHAT IS CLAIMED IS:

- A seatback for an aut/omobile comprising:
 - a headrest;
 - a supporting member for supporting the headrest;
- a pressure receiving member attached to the supporting member, the pressure receiving member has a pressure receiving portion at a lower end/thereof for a load to be applied to; and
- a frame member attached with the supporting member to be pivoted with the headrest.
- 10 2. A seatback according to claim 1, wherein the frame member is a pair of side frames.
 - 3. A seatback according to claim 1, wherein the frame member is an upper-cross member.
 - A seatback a ϕ cording to claim 1, 4. wherein the supporting member comprises: a holder fitted with the headrest; and
 - a supporting member body fixed with the holder and the pressure receiving member.
 - A seatback according to claim 1,

wherein the pressure receiving member is configured in a substantiall / I-shape between a lower end and an upper end thereof.

- A seatback according to claim 1, further comprising: a biasing means for biasing the pressure receiving portion to a front side, the biasing means to be expanded by a predetermined load.
- 7. A seatback according to claim 6, wherein the pressure receiving portion is covered with

a cover made of a synthetic resin, the cover has a lock portion, 30 and the blasing means is hooked with the lock portion.

8. A seatback according to claim 3,

wherein the upper-cross member has a first stopper face for stopping the supporting member from pivoting when pivoting the supporting member forward.

35 9. A seatback according to claim 3, wherein the upper-cross member has a second stopper face

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 $\sqrt{10}$. A seatback according to claim 4,

wherein the holder is integrated with the pressure receiving member.

A seatback according to claim 10,

wherein the holder and the pressure receiving member are configured together in a substantially L-shape.

12. A seatback according to claim 10,

wherein the holder and the pressure receiving member are configured together in a substantially U-shape.

13. A seatback according to claim 10,

wherein the holder has a straight portion positioned at a central portion of an upper-cross member corresponding to an inside of shoulder portions of a passenger, the straight portion allows a stay of the headrest to be vertically moved, and

the pressure receiving member is configured in a thin and flat shape and is bent to be placed away from a pad.

14. A seatback according to claim 3,

wherein the upper-cross member is bridged between upper ends of a pair of side frames to be fixed.

15. A seatback for an automobile comprising:

a headrest:

a supporting member having a distal end, a proximal end and an intermediate part, the supporting member being attached with the headrest at the distal end thereof, the supporting member for a load by a pressurizing element to be applied to at the proximal end thereof; and

a pivotal element attached to the intermediate part of the supporting member, the pivotal element for pivoting the supporting member thereon with the headrest thereon by the load.

16. A seatback according to claim 15, further comprising:

a frame disposed between the pivotal element and the headrest, the frame engaging with the intermediate part of the supporting member.

17. A seatback according to claim 16,



wherein the frame has a stopper part for the supporting member to be abutted against for stopping the supporting member from pivoting.

- 18. A seatback according to claim 17,
- 5 wherein the stopper part extends toward the proximal end of the supporting member
 - 19. A seatback according to claim 17,

wherein the stopper part extends in a transverse direction relative to the supporting member.

- 10 20. A seatback according to claim 15, further comprising:
 a resilient member biasing the supporting member to an original position with a predetermined force.
 - 21. A seatback according to claim 20, wherein the resilient member is a spring bridged between a pair of side frames.
 - 22. A seatback according to claim 15, further comprising: a cover for covering the proximal end of the supporting member.
 - 23. A seatback according to claim 22, wherein the cover is made of a synthetic resin.
 - 24. A seatback according to claim 22,

wherein the cover has a lock part, and a resilient member is hooked with the lock part for biasing the supporting member to an original position.

25 25. A seatback according to claim 15,

wherein the supporting member has a flat plate part extending from the proximal end.

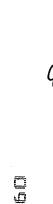
. A seatback according to claim 15,

wherein the supporting member comprises:

- a collar part enclosing the pivotal element; and
- a pressure receiving part fixed to the collar, the pressure receiving part extending from the proximal end of the supporting member.
- 27. A seatback according to claim 15,
 wherein supporting member comprises:
 a pressure receiving part extending from the proximal

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end; and

a supporting body part fixed to the pressure receiving part, the supporting body part supporting the pivotal element.

28. A seatback according to claim 27,

wherein the supporting member comprises:

a holder part fixed to the supporting body part and fitted

with the headrest.

 2° , A seatback according to claim 28,

wherein the holder part is integrated with the pressure

10 receiving part.

30. A seatback according to claim 27, further comprising:

a frame engaged with the supporting member, the frame supporting the pivotal element.

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